PROVIDENCE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

THE CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP - October 8th, 2023—11:00 a.m.

Song of Ascent
Welcome and Announcements
Prelude

Come Praise and Glorify (Getty)

*Please stand if you are able.

GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP

*CALL TO WORSHIP from Psalm 104

LEADER: Bless the LORD, O my soul!

O LORD my God, you are very great!

PEOPLE: You are clothed with splendor and majesty,

covering yourself with light as with a garment,

stretching out the heavens like a tent. He set the earth on its foundations, so that it should never be moved.

LEADER: O Lord, how manifold are your works!

In wisdom have you made them all; the earth is full of your creatures.

PEOPLE: I will sing to the Lord as long as I live;

I will sing praise to my God while I have being.

*HYMN OF PRAISEAcross the Lands

*INVOCATION

GOD INVITES US TO THE MEANS OF GRACE

AFFIRMATION OF **F**AITH

The Apostles' Creed

ALL: We believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.

We believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic* church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen. *universal

CALL TO CONFESSION OF SIN

James 1:19-20

"Know this, my beloved brothers: let every person be quick to hear, slow to speak, slow to anger; for the anger of man does not produce the righteousness of God."

SILENT AND PRIVATE CONFESSION

Assurance of Pardon

Romans 5:8-9

"God shows his love for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us. Since, therefore, we have now been justified by his blood, much more shall we be saved by him from the wrath of God."

SCRIPTURE READING

Romans 12:1-2, 14-21

OFFERTORY

Before the Throne of God

PASTORAL PRAYER

SERMON

Psalm 4

Rev. David Hina

"O God Who Vindicates Me!"

GOD BLESSES US & SENDS US OUT

*BENEDICTION

Ephesians 3:20-21

"Now to him who is able to do far more abundantly than all that we ask or think, according to the power at work within us, to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, forever and ever. Amen.

Praise God from whom all blessings flow: Praise Him all creatures here below:

Praise Him above ye heavenly host: Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

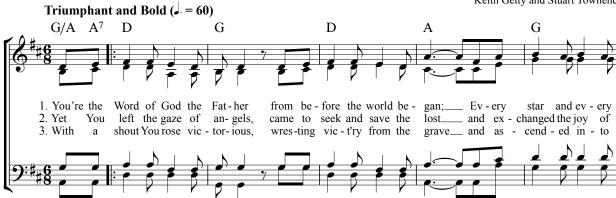
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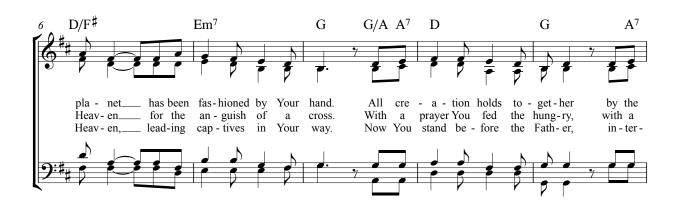
Our God, Our Help in Ages Past (#30)

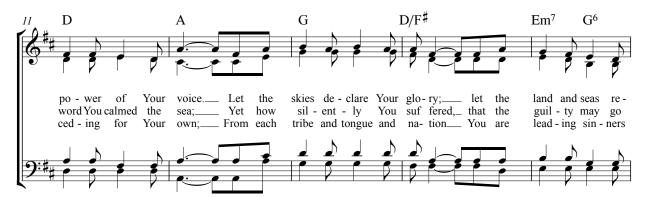
You're the Word of God the Father

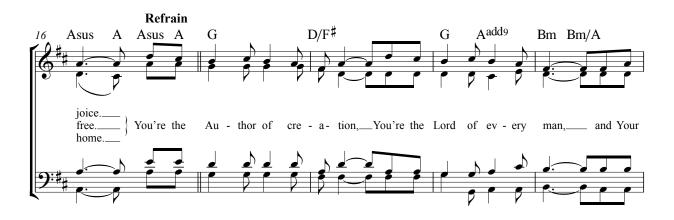


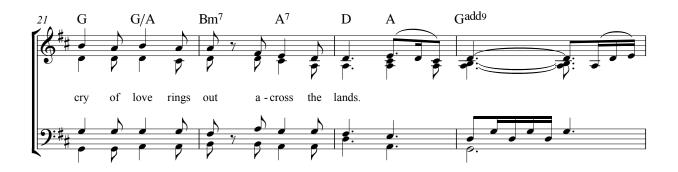
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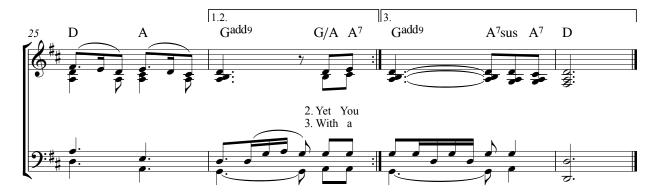












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Peace, Perfect Peace



6. Peace, perfect peace, death shad'wing us and ours? Jesus has vanquished death and all its pow'rs.

7. It is enough:

earth's struggles soon shall cease, and Jesus call us to heav'n's perfect peace.

All Praise to Thee, My God, This Night

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I will lie down and sleep in peace, for you alone, O LORD, make me dwell in safety. Ps. 4:8



- O when shall I in endless day forever chase dark sleep away, and hymns with the supernal choir incessant sing, and never tire!
- Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heav'nly host: praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

Providence OCTOBER Birthdays

7 Andy Burton 16 Eliana Meiners 16 Keith Hendricks 31 Jacob Patterson